

— TODAY —
Pearl White In
"WITHOUT FEAR"
The romance of a mushroom mil-
lionaire and a lovely bud from the
society hot house. And—
Al St. John In
"FAST AND FURIOUS"

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— TODAY —
"HELLHOUND OF THE WEST"
Thrilling western story
And
"WHITE EAGLE"
Coming Saturday
Pearl White In
"WITHOUT FEAR"

RAIL WALKOUT SEEMS WELL ON WAY TO END

OPERATORS DECLARE HAVE NO KNOWLEDGE OF RUMORED PARLEY AS MOVE FOR PEACE

Government Officials, However,
More Optimistic Over Chance
For Resumption

ATTEMPT TO MINE IN PENNSYLVANIA FAILS

Work Is Stopped When Only
One Hundred Tons
Taken Out

(By International News Service.)
LONDON, July 28.—The ex-
ecutive committee of the federa-
tion of miners today decided not
to take any action to assist the
striking American coal miners,
pending possible action by the in-
ternational federation convention
at Frankfurt on August 6.

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, July 28.—Coal op-
erators today continued to deny all
knowledge of any scheduled peace
meeting such as mentioned by John
L. Lewis, miners president, and the
strike seemed little nearer settle-
ment.

Meanwhile Secretary Hoover was
receiving assurances from governors
of many states that the federal gov-
ernment will receive every aid in
preventing retail profiteering in coal
during the strike emergency.

OFFICIALS OPTIMISTIC
(By International News Service.)
WASHINGTON, July 28.—Along
with the optimism generally felt in
the railroad strike situation, gov-
ernment officials also were inclined to
view the coal strike as developing fa-
vorably toward a conference which
will permit a resumption of opera-
tions.

The seat of activities in the coal
strike has moved away from Wash-
ington at present, with departure of
the operators and John L. Lewis, head
of the miners.

Officials of the National Coal As-
sociation said today they had no
knowledge of a "joint conference
within a few days," between op-
erators and miners of the central com-
petitive field, as hinted by Lewis in
Philadelphia. They said they were
authorized to speak for A. M. Ogle,
general chairman of the operators,
who is in Indianapolis, in stating
that no conference has been arranged.

A formal statement was issued in
Ogle's behalf, declaring that "any
suggestions from any source that a
central competitive four-state con-
ference plan be re-established will only
delay and make more difficult a final
and proper settlement" in the union
mine fields of Indiana.

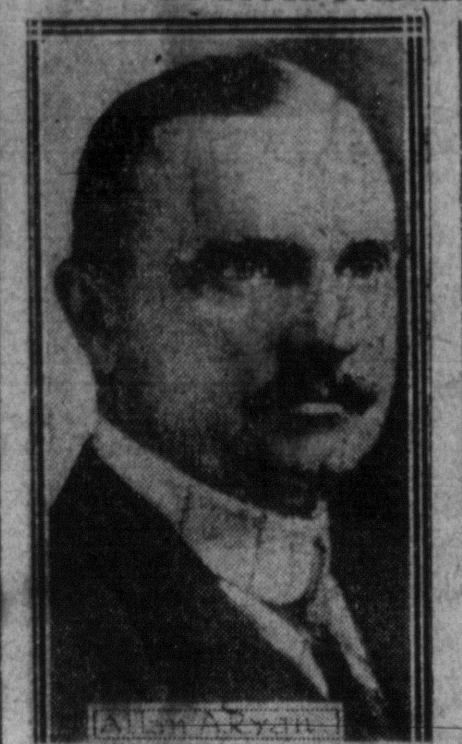
Ogle said the determination of
Governor McCray, of Indiana, to se-
cure coal "should enlist the fullest
support from everyone."

LEWIS SPEAKS
(By International News Service.)
Philadelphia, July 28.—Any settle-
ment of the mine strike will origi-
nate in the bituminous field, rather
than the anthracite. This is the es-
sence of a statement made today by
John L. Lewis, president of the United
Mine Workers of America. Re-
freshed by a long night's sleep, Mr.
Lewis appeared more optimistic than
ever, as he sauntered about, pumping
meditatively on a huge cigar.

"A call for a joint interstate con-
ference," he said, "will be issued,
but if the conference is held, it does
not mean the miners will go back to
work pending negotiations. We stand
absolutely upon the status quo and
have not altered our position a bit."

PROSPECTS SLIGHT
(By International News Service.)
WASHINGTON, Pa., July 28.—
Prospects of getting coal out of the
unionized bituminous fields in Pen-
nsylvania by use of strike breakers
failed to brighten today. Spasmodic
attempts were made yesterday to re-
sume production under troop pro-
tection, it was claimed, but accomplish-

ALLAN A. RYAN RUINED BY STUTZ CORNER



When, in 1920, Allan A. Ryan, son
of Thomas Fortune Ryan, cornered
the market in Stutz stock and forced
the price from \$130 a share to \$500
he was expelled from the New York
Stock Exchange, and Wall Street was
filled with rumors that squeezed fi-
nanciers had vowed to "get" the most
spectacular young man the financial
district had seen for many a year.
Now Ryan has filed a petition in
voluntary bankruptcy, with liabilities
of \$32,435,477. Of this \$27,806,984
is secured by collateral, and Ryan ad-
mitted his only assets to be \$643,533.
Unsecured claims amounted to \$621,
334.

DANGER TO NATION'S EXISTENCE SEEN BY JOINT COMMISSION

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, July 28.—Uttering a
"solemn warning to the men and wo-
men of America," that "this nation
will decay and finally perish when
American homes cease to revere God,"
the report of the Joint Commission
on Home and Family Life, which will
be presented to the triennial General
Convention of the Episcopal Church
meeting in Portland, Oregon, Septem-
ber 6 next, was made public today.
"Advanced culture did not save
past civilizations, did not prevent
Germany plunging into a gulf of in-
famy. Upon America's consecration
to God depends her fate," says the
report, which contains an exhaustive
study of social and industrial con-
ditions in the United States with par-
ticular reference to home life.

The Commission was appointed by
the Episcopal General Convention six
years ago, and includes in its person-
nel some of the most distinguished of
the bishops, clerical and lay mem-
bers of the church. Among other
subjects which are frankly treated are
those of marriage, divorce and birth
control. The report contains a strong
recommendation against the latter.
Rev. Charles Noys Tynndell, S. T. D.,
of Williamsport, Pa., secretary of the
Commission in transmitting the re-
port, says that the whole effort of the
Commission, has been to present to
the country a vital message in as con-
cise form as possible.

"Even a cursory glance at condi-
tions in the average American home
reveals evidence sufficient to war-
rant the most careful study of those
influence now affecting these homes
from the standpoint of morals and re-
ligion," the report continues. "The
attitude toward youth, even more
than the attitude of the youth, will
scarcely bear severe scrutiny."

"We touch the root of our family
problem when we point to the lack
of religion in the home. It is paral-
yzing to think of the average Ameri-
can family going on from the rising
to the retiring hour as if God had no
existence. Sunday is a day for extra
sleep, motoring, Sunday papers in
many volumes, comic supplements. If
American children are not to be
taught of God in the schools, and He
is unnamed in the home, what can
we expect but that at this moment
the United States is actually devel-
oping into a non-Christian nation?"
Touching upon domestic life in

(Continued on Page 4)

FARM BLOC OPPOSES REAPPOINTMENT OF HARDING AS FEDERAL RESERVE HEAD

Name of B. R. Crissinger, Present Com-
ptroller of the Currency Mentioned as
Possible Successor

SUN IS HASTENING MATURING OF BOLLS

The hot rays of the summer sun is
doing for the silken fabric in the ma-
turing bolls of cotton which nothing
else in the material world can do, ha-
stening the maturity of the fabric that
it may be used in the mills of the
world. Not only so but, the increas-
ing warmth is lessening the liability
to the ravages of the pests which af-
flict it from year to year. The pen-
etrating rays of this July sun is plac-
ing cotton in the right element. Not
until a period of what we term the
"hottest weather of the season" is
the cotton plant really in its right
element. It is distinctly a sun plant
and as such depends upon the elec-
trifying rays of the sun to bring it
into its own. When cotton begins to
follow the sun round from day to day,
can it really be said to be in perfect-
ly healthy condition, and in its right
element.

County Delegation Is Enjoying Trip

The Daily is in receipt of a letter
from Howard L. Burleson, secretary
of the Morgan County farm bureau,
who is at Auburn attending the farm
meeting held under the auspices of
the extension service there. Mr. Bur-
leson states that there are 500 club
boys and girls in attendance, and at
the time his letter was written, 483
farmers had registered, twelve club
boys from Morgan county are at-
tending, and three members from the
Morgan County farm bureau. Mr.
Burleson speaks in glowing terms of
the splendid showing being made, and
the treatment accorded the party. The
Daily hopes to give a more extended
report of the activities of the Mor-
gan County delegation upon their re-
turn. Owing to sickness in his fam-
ily, county agent W. G. Johnson was
not able to attend. The boys were
given over to the care of Mr. Burle-
son.

Several Districts Vote On School Tax

Three more school districts will
vote on the three mill tax for school
purposes tomorrow. The districts so
voting at Falkville, Priceville and
Union Hill No. 2. Falkville held an
election for this tax two years ago,
and lost. It is thought quite prob-
able at this time the measure will
carry by a good majority. Thirty-
one districts over the county now have
the tax, from which is derived the
sum of \$25,000.00 for school purposes.
Others which voted this year, but
will not get the advantage of the re-
venue until next year, it is stated will
swell the revenue to above \$35,000,
00, available for better schools. Only
three districts over the county where
elections have been held of this char-
acter, have lost. One of such has
since voted again, and carried.

Chinese Factions Are Fighting Again

(By Associated Press.)
CANTON, July 28.—Fighting be-
tween the troops of Sun Yat Sen,
deposed president of the Southern re-
public here, and those of Chen Chung
Ming, leader supporting the central
republic in Peking, has been resumed
after two days respite, near Chiu-
chow, about 150 miles north of Can-
ton.

WEATHER

For Alabama: Generally fair tonight
and Saturday.

(By International News Service.)
WASHINGTON, July 28.—Re-
appointment of William P. G. Hard-
ing as governor of the federal reserve
board was regarded as doubtful by
senators today in view of the strong,
concerted opposition by the senate
"agricultural bloc," composed of more
than a score of Republican and Dem-
ocratic senators from western and
southern agricultural states, to his
being permitted to continue in office
after the expiration of his present
term August 9.

It was stated that the "bloc" was
united against Harding, who has been
repeatedly criticized by some of its
members for the policy of "contract-
ed currency and deflated credits" ad-
opted by the board and that Presi-
dent Harding has been urged by sev-
eral influential leaders of the senate,
who are closely associated with the
administration, not to reappoint him.
The name of B. R. Crissinger,
comptroller of the currency, has been
advanced by a number of Republican
and Democratic senators in connec-
tion with the filling of the govern-
orship of the board, as a man who
would meet with the approval of the
"bloc."

State Commissoin Is Ready To Help

(Montgomery Bureau,
Albany-Decatur Daily)
MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 28.—
The Alabama public service commis-
sion will furnish all co-operation pos-
sible to the interstate commerce com-
mission in carrying out any emer-
gency service orders, according to a
telegram sent to the commission to-
day by A. G. Patterson, president of
the Alabama commission. The inter-
state commerce commission will put
into effect at once rules which will
be applicable during the strike and
probably will be forced to call upon
the public service commission for as-
sistance in Alabama.

President Patterson wired in an-
swer to the Washington telegram that
the Alabama commission would per-
form any reasonable service in con-
nection with the emergency service
orders.

Red Cross Worker Limestone Visitor

Mrs. W. W. Richardson has return-
ed from Coblenz, Germany, where
she has been in charge of the Red
Cross work. During the war, Mrs.
Richardson served her country abroad
as a Red Cross worker and later was
sent back to the army of occupation.
She is the guest of Mrs. R. H. Rich-
ardson, in Athens, now.

Madison Farmer Is Shot To Death

(By International News Service.)
HUNTSVILLE, Ala., July 28.—Fol-
lowing a dispute, Charles Hopkins,
farmer was shot and instantly killed
on his farm here today. Hite Snow,
his landlord, is being held charged
with the shooting. He declined to
make any statement.

Secretary Says Evangelist Not Father of Baby

(By International News Service.)
GRAND RAPIDS, July 28.—Tes-
tifying as a defense witness in the
separate maintenance suit brought
by Mrs. Lottie M. Trotter against
her husband, Melvin E. Trotter,
prominent evangelist, Miss Flo-
rence Moody, his former secretary,
denied the evangelist was the
father of a baby born to her in
1917.

Latest Photograph of Marilynn Miller



This is the most recent photograph of dainty Marilynn Miller, star of
"Sally," and her fiancé, Jack Pickford, Mary Pickford's brother. The wed-
ding is set for August 1 and has been bitterly attacked by Florence Zieg-
feld, Miss Miller's manager, who made sensational charges against young
Pickford in connection with his service in the Navy during the war and
the subsequent suicide of his wife, Olive Thomas, in Paris.

Issues of Strike Again Reviewed At Meeting of Shopmen On Friday

The following official statement
was issued today by H. C. Hutchi-
son, chairman of the press commit-
tee of the federated shop crafts:

The greatest cheering for any of
the songs sung before the rail strik-
ers' Masonic theater meetings great-
ed the melody "Could Not Hear No-
body Pray" as rendered this morning
by Roberts, Gravier, Siebert and
Sparkman.

This song is the one the Vaughn
Quartette first made popular here
about a month ago. Hunter, Klein
and the McCulla brothers also sang a
quartette.

The morning prayer was by Rev.
T. B. Harwell, and the regular reports
were heard.

An Age-Herald editorial of the
morning was read with special re-
ference to the following paragraph:
"The railroads and the coal mines can-
not be operated without union labor,
as long as the unions are as strongly
organized as they are now. By wip-
ing the slate clean and making a fresh
start there is a good chance to
reach a working agreement, which
will permit questions in dispute to be
adjusted by arbitration."

The Associated Press from Wash-
ington on the strike situation was
read with emphasis on the follow-
ing statement from that report: "A
versal amid great cheering."

ENGLISH ACTORS TO PRODUCE PLAYS

(Montgomery Bureau,
Albany-Decatur Daily)
LONDON, July 28.—Dissatisfied
with the returns they have received
from theatrical producers and man-
agers a group of English actors have
formed a cooperative producing com-
pany of their own. They will launch
their new venture at one of London's
popular playhouses with "She Stoops
to Conquer" and other classical com-
edies. The actors will be their own
managers and will finance such plays
as seem good to them. A number of
prominent actresses probably will be
admitted to the enterprise upon equal
terms with the men.

FREE STATE TROOPS CAUGHT IN AMBUSH

(Albany-Decatur Daily.)
BELFAST, July 28.—Ambush of a
party of free state troops was re-
ported today from Glenties County,
Dongal. Three free staters were
killed and four of the attacking party
of republicans were captured.

(By Associated Press.)
DUBLIN, July 28.—All main towns
in the Connemara district now have
been cleared of insurgent troops and
rapid progress is being made by the
national forces in the west and Mun-
ster province, says an official report
today.

FARMERS MAKING HAY AS SUN SHINES

The hay fields of the county are
now very busy places while the farm-
er "makes hay while the sunshines."
The very finest weather prevails now
in which to cut and cure hay. It is
said that hay cut in the morning now,
under the hot July sun prevailing,
will be thoroughly cured in time to
take up before nightfall. The hay
has been unusually fine the present
season, as there has been plenty of
moisture to hasten its growth and
keep it tender. Later the pea vine
hay will be ready for harvest. This
represents the finest hay we can grow
in this country. Its nutritious ele-
ments appeal strongly to the farmer,
and it has been likened to both hay
and corn at the same time. There is
a large acreage sown to peas, and
they are doing fine.

EARTH SHOCKS ARE FELT DURING NIGHT

(By Associated Press.)
GUATEMALA, CITY, July 28.—An
earth shock of considerable intensity
was felt here last night, but no dam-
age was reported.

(By Associated Press.)
MADRID, July 28.—A brief earth
shock was felt last night at Grenada,
causing considerable alarm, but no
damage.

BRIGHTENING IS SEEN OF INDUSTRIAL SKIES AS RESULT OF TALKS AT THE WHITE HOUSE

Strike 90 Per Cent Over Declares
One Member of the
Cabinet

IMMEDIATE RETURN TO WORK POSSIBLE

Proposition Taken Under Adv-
ment By Leaders of the
Craftsmen

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 28.—Three
coast carrying railroads, the Nor-
folk and Western; Chesapeake and
Ohio and the Louisville and Nash-
ville, have declared embargoes over
their lines against acceptance of any freight
except food stuffs, livestock and fuel.

(By International News Service.)
WASHINGTON, July 28.—The rail-
road strike is well on the way to set-
tlement and President Harding was
able to inform his cabinet, when it
met today that, for the first time in
weeks, the industrial skies of the na-
tion are brightening and not dark-
ening.

From suggestions now under con-
sideration both railway executives
and strike leaders, it is considered
entirely probable that the workers
will be back at their jobs on all rail-
roads within a week.

"At least the strike will be 90 per
cent over," was the optimistic view-
point of one cabinet official.

So far as could be ascertained to-
day, President Harding laid out no
cut and dried program of settlement
in the conferences, which continued
at the white house until nearly mid-
night last night, and which, prob-
ably, will be continued today and to-
morrow, as disputed points continued
to arise.

President Harding did suggest, it
was learned today, that the strikers
return to work immediately on all
roads if possible, and if not, then, on
those roads willing to restore the
seniority rights vacated by the strik-
ers when they left the shops four
weeks ago.

This proposition was taken under
advisement by the striking shop craft
leaders and it is considered probable
that within 48 hours the leaders will
inform the white house of their will-
ingness to return.

Meanwhile the shop craft leaders
are conferring among themselves and
T. Dewitt Cuyler, president of the
Association of Railway Executives,
has called a meeting of the heads of
148 railroad systems for New York
next Tuesday.

B. M. Jewell, national director of
the strikers, and his six shop craft
associates, informed the President
last night, it is understood, that the
strike could be called off within 24
hours upon the assurance that all of
the railroads of the country would
restore seniority rights to those men
who went out and upon assurance
that the latest wage cut, decreed by
the railway labor board, would be
made the subject of a rehearing.

President Harding replied, it is un-
derstood, that he did not believe there
would be any difficulty on the mat-
ter of the wage problem, but that
he was unable to speak for the exec-
utives on seniority rights. The strike
leaders left the white house and the
President sent for Cuyler. Cuyler
was unwilling and was unable, it was
said, to speak the assurance the strik-
ers had asked.

After a lengthy conference, at
which the disputed points were gone
over again, he informed the Presi-
dent he would call a general meeting
of executives of all roads in New York
next Tuesday, to formulate a policy.

Jewell and his associates arranged
another conference with President
Harding at 12 o'clock today, immedi-
ately after the cabinet meeting.
They were undecided about returning
to Chicago as planned.

Strike leaders were adamant today
(Continue on page 5.)

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FARMERS AND THEIR NEED OF AUTOMOBILES

We have something like four times as many automobiles as we have high school students. We put many times as much money in cars as we do in school buildings. Nearly a hundred times as much money is spent for automobiles as for minister's salary. These statistics in a way do not speak any too highly for our civilization. But despite its high cost the automobile is thoroughly justifying its existence, especially as an aid to better more prosperous and more contented farm life.

The automobile is doing away with one of the most objectionable features of country life namely its isolation and consequent loneliness.

DeKoe felt this isolation when he said that although he was monarch of all he surveyed at his lonely country home, that it was "better to dwell in the midst of alarms than reign in this horrible place." Because the automobile eliminates dispatch to such a great extent, it has become a great social factor among the farmers. Formerly if the farmer's wife and family wished to make a trip when the day was done, the horses were too tired to take them; but the car vehicle never gets tired, it properly cared for. Neighbors that live ten, twenty or forty miles off are brought within a few minutes or an hour's ride by the automobile.

From a business standpoint the city people as well as the farmers benefit greatly because of the universal use of the car—they can have more produce from the farm and a greater variety of it brought to their doors, now than in the days when horse flesh was the dependence of the farmers for making trips to town.

The use of the automobile cannot be overestimated as a social and economic factor. And farmer who has a car broadens his horizon beyond measure. He becomes acquainted with people in all parts of the county, and with many in surrounding counties, where the roads are good. He becomes identified with larger interests. He hears new voices, sees new faces and makes new friends.

And as the farmer becomes better acquainted with the needs of the surrounding country he is enabled to meet these needs better, with the consequent business advantage both to himself and his many new neighbors.

And most important of all as the automobile gets people acquainted with each other, all hands learn to cooperate more fully and more helpfully. It must follow then, that over and above the large amounts of money spent for automobiles, they are well worth every cent put into them, and especially so to the farmers of the country. The automobile makes whole counties into neighborhoods. They meet long felt needs; and as they are improved from year to year and become more and more numerous, they will continue to add more and more to the sum total of a larger and a better civilization.

THE COMMUNITY, COLLECTIVELY AND INDIVIDUALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR HEALTH CONDITIONS

One of the outstanding advantages of public health efforts, is that they tend to cause the whole community to take a larger and more responsible interest in general health conditions. There is not a single profession, unless it be that of the law, where its members have greater force behind their advice than that of medicine. Not twenty-five people out of a hundred will "go against the Doctor's orders"; with all their prestige, Physicians cannot make a city or a county healthy unless they have loyal support and enthusiastic cooperation. Just as government seldom functions without, there is a great public demand for it to do so, neither will there be sufficient health plans made and executed unless there is strong popular demand for it. No system of sanitation especially if its costs money will ever be set up unless the public demands it. And even if we strict sanitation laws, and officers to enforce them, unless the people really wanted their town and county to be clean and free from disease such would never be the case. But on the other hand, no great results will ever be accomplished in the way of better health, if it is left to first one and then the other to establish and enforce sanitary requirements. When individuals and families get to where they will be as willing to spend hundreds of dollars a year to prevent sickness, as they now spend for caring diseases, we will be in sight of the ideal as regards health conditions. When ideal conditions obtain as regards health, such cities as Albany and Decatur will have boards of health, who, co-operating with the city councils, will direct systematic and constant campaigns against diseases. And until the whole body of the citizenship does make some provision for improved health, the responsibility must rest heavily upon every voter and every resident, of the entire community.

WILLIAM ALLEN WHITE ON SKIRTS

The new skirts shown in the Fifth Avenue shops are down to shoe-top lengths. For four long and happy years legs have been staples rather than luxuries. They came in with the war. The war worker had to have room according to her strength, so she shucked her shins. And, being relieved, she took the envelopes off her knees, and finally shed her petticoat and reduced her corset to a compromise between a liver pad and an electric belt.

Then man, seeing society backed into the Garden-of-Eden where Mamma would be wearing the salad for an apron, began to hedge in his admiration. He was getting a plenty, which was more business about which Kipling sings so well. And then enough of this "for to behold and for to see" now down comes the skirt length to the shoe-tops. And in another three months there will not be a leg worth seeing on Main Street from Harlem to the Golden Gate. So line up, gentlemen; get an eyeful.

It will be a long, lean, hungry generation before we can see grandma's knees, and then grandma will be under the daisies and the shameless young things now just come college will be officiating where grandma now deplores the wickedness of the rising generation. And the shameless young thing, thirty years from now, will be yelling her crown and bridge work loose at some frivolity of the girls of the day, forgetting those halcyon days when she went to dances in an ignition system that had no extra parts to wear.

Today, when she sees the shameless young thing from college switching the vestige of her caudal appendage, she is greatly shocked. Grandma forgets the crass indecencies of the Grecian band and the Saratoga dip. Grandma forgets the unspeakable indecency of the bustle. And so in 1950 the grandma of that day will forget that she sometimes flashed her knees upon grandpa and so lured him to her lair.

But now these knees are to be turned to weapons of peace; perhaps not exactly plowshares of pruning hooks, but sometimes equally domestic. And we mere men who have sated our eyes upon the beauties of nature will have to go back to the billboards and the underwear sales for release for our suppressed complexes. And so we have the first faint recession of the crime wave.—New York Tribune.

Tennessee, that state from which there has emanated many of the South's finest orators, is in the throes of a heated state campaign for the office of governor. Former governor Benton McMillan is one of the candidates, as is also the "Little Black Bull of Roane" as General Harvey Hannah has been dubbed during his speaking tours for democracy in the past. Senator Austin Peay is also one of the candidates. Speech making, comparable to memorable campaign of Patterson and Carmack, is now being given to the people of the Volunteer state, and according to the state papers, immense throngs are flocking to hear their favorite sons. The old state has had much politics of a spectacular kind, and now has a republican governor in the person of Governor Alf Taylor, who has in the past stumped the state from end to the other with his brother Bob for the office he now holds, although he was never able to beat the sweet singer who said of himself, "that he got his inspiration on the mountain tops of his native county, which were so high he could tickle the feet of the angels." "Gov. Bob" as he was always called by his legion of admiring friends still lives in the minds and hearts of those whom he made happy by his genial personality. General Hannah is a nephew of Alf and Bob Taylor and certainly ought to know how to occupy the Governor's chair.

A WISE SELECTION

Augustus Thomas, dean of American playwrights, has been appointed executive chairman of the Producing Managers' Association, a post which is to the legitimate stage what the position of Will H. Hays occupies is to the motion picture industry.

It is said that there was but one name considered by the more than half hundred theatrical producers who compose the association. In seeking for the best that the theatrical world has to offer, no other name could have been considered.

Those who have been reading the reminiscences of Mr. Thomas in the Saturday Evening Post are well acquainted with his past.

Born in 1859, his childhood was passed in the troubles state of Missouri, where he found employment as a page in the legislature and later was taken to Washington and appointed a page in the Forty-first Congress. He tried practical railroad for six years. Having a talent for sketching, he entered the newspaper profession and served an apprenticeship in St. Louis, Kansas City and New York as both illustrator and reporter.

Always interested in the stage, his first successful offerings were, "Alabama," "in Missouri" and "Arizona." Ever a deep student, his most successful plays of late years dealt with the occult. His "Witching Hour" and "The Harvest Moon" treated this subject in a manner to win the universal approval of critics. Many of his plays have been produced upon the screen, notable among them being "The Copperhead," a drama of Civil War days which had a long run.

Mr. Thomas has been active in political circles in both East and West and has attained national prominence as an orator. He is aligned with the independent wing of the Democratic party in New York, and during one of Bryan's campaigns he toured the country with the Commoner, introducing him to his audiences.

The rise of Mr. Thomas in his chosen profession was rapid, and he has been the acknowledged leader of stagecrafters for more than a decade. To him the stage has been as much of a calling as the ministry or the bar has been to other gifted men, and he has impressed his personality upon it.

The elevation of Mr. Thomas to the position of supreme dictator in America of this historic art is a guarantee of clean plays for the future. To one who has known him more or less intimately for a score of years, it is gratifying to record the award of this highest honor at the hands of the profession he adorns.—Nashville Tennessean.

OFFICE CAT



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We heard of a remarkable wedding ceremony a few days ago. When the bridegroom was asked by the minister if he would "take this woman, etc." he blushed and replied, "well, I came with that intention."

Nineteen seniors at an Ohio girls' school are reported to be engaged. Yet people ask, "does education have any advantages?"

"Mummy," asked Muriel, indignantly, "did you hear what auntie said to me?"

"Yes, dear," was the reply. "Well, mummy, scolded the little maid rebelliously. 'I am not going to be brought up by another woman.'"

PHIL OSOPHY SAYS

"A man who runs things on a bluff is liable to fall over it."

"Even if you can look at a woman and tell her age you had better not."

"Hardest thing about running for office is kissing the babies—it's hard on the babies."

AN EXACT DUPLICATION

Jack and Mary went to church with the grown-ups for the first time last Sunday. Monday afternoon they were found in the back yard play-house sitting side by side, and whispering to each other.

"What in the world are you two playing?" asked mother.

"We're playing church," replied Jack.

"But you shouldn't whisper in church," protested mother.

"Oh," said Mary, "we're the choir."

The Tin Peddler's blind horse got scared at a mud hole and tried to run away this morning, relates the Dog Hill paragrapher. His progress was greatly retarded by the other mud holes.

A NATURAL INFERENCE

"A rolling stone gathers no moss," severely said the Old Coder.

"You never rolled much, did you, uncle?" returned his flippancy nephew.

A BIT OF TRUTH

And now upon my words attend
You can control your temper, friend.
Vent not your spleen throughout this life.

On your employees or your wife.
Although we all may fret and chafe
We're only nasty when it's safe.

Home is a place in which modern sons and daughters sleep when everything else is closed.

HE MARRIED A LOUD SPEAKER

Dear Office Cat:

I've been married to a loud speaker for thirteen years. Have you any suggestions to make as to what can be done to modify this amplification?—Henpeck.

And there comes a learned professor to tell about the tremendous power of women's tears. He can't tell a married man anything about that.

"Nowadays young folks never hate to face the music if it's jazz."

A little knowledge is a dangerous thing, especially when it is a little knowledge of driving an automobile.

AN AIR EDUCATION

We suppose that Radio will soon be responsible for a correspondence school. We have known a good many educators that were for the most part airy.

The man who reads the gas meter must be tired of light fiction.

NATURE VERSE

"The stork has brought a little peach"

The nurse said with an air.

"How glad I am," the poor dad said,

"He didn't bring a pear."

Marshall Nellan and Blanche Sweet were married recently. It is perfectly proper, we presume, to say that Nellan got a "Sweet" wife.

WHAT'S THAT? CAN'T THEY

RUN

Special Request—All citizens not members of the fire department should stay off the fire truck when it is responding to an alarm. At

a recent fire so many outside people got on the truck that the regular firemen had to walk to the fire.—Wellington (O.) Enterprise.

HOW ABOUT IT?

This fact you'll quickly understand
If you have motored with a jar;
A rattle in the baby's hand
Is worth two in the motor-car.

THE FLAW

"Do you s'pose it's possible to love two fellas at the same time?" anxiously asked Yvonne of the rapid fire restaurant.

"Not if they ketch you at it!" briskly replied Heloise of the same establishment.

MUST BE FOUND

The great detective stood before the rich merchant, waiting for his instructions. "It's this way," began the merchant. "I have been robbed of hundreds of dollars. A rascal has gone about the country, pretending to be a collector of ours. He has simply coined money. Why, in a week he has collected more than all our travelers put together. He must be found as quickly as possible. Spare no expense."

"Right," said the detective. "Within a week he will be in prison."

"Prison!" cried the merchant. "Why man, I don't want him arrested. I want to employ him."

YANKEE WIT

Once upon a time, a jolly pair,
Both loved a flapper with bobbed hair
This pair, a Jap and Yankee kid,
Each for the flapper's love they bid.
The Jap had strength, the Yank had wit,
And Yankee-like used all of it.

He fooled the Jap, who was a scrapper,
The Yankee wed the female flapper.

The moral is—Japan's a blank;
His scrapping cannot beat a Yank.

Once upon a time the old-fashioned girl married to get a home. Now the modern flapper weds to get alimony.

Perfect men cannot live on earth,
still there is no sense in being mean
as the devil.

THE FRETFUL SEA

Lady Passenger—"Why do we so often have an angry sea?"

Captain—"Perhaps, ma'am, because it is so often crossed."

Mortgage loans negotiated on Improved City Property, in amounts of \$1,000.00 or more, three to five years. 7-26-01. W. A. BIBB.

How They Stand

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Memphis	69	33	.676
Mobile	63	44	.588
New Orleans	58	45	.563
Little Rock	57	46	.553
Birmingham	58	56	.462
Nashville	42	61	.408
Atlanta	38	58	.395
Chattanooga	36	61	.343

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Louis	54	40	.574
New York	55	42	.467
Chicago	50	45	.526
Detroit	49	57	.510
Cleveland	49	48	.505
Washington	44	48	.478
Philadelphia	38	53	.418
Boston	39	55	.415

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	57	34	.626
St. Louis	57	39	.593
Chicago	50	44	.532
Cincinnati	49	47	.510
Pittsburgh	45	46	.495
Brooklyn	45	47	.489
Philadelphia	34	54	.382
Boston	32	58	.355

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Southern League.
Nashville at Birmingham.
Memphis at Atlanta.
Chattanooga at New Orleans.
Little Rock at Mobile.

American League.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.
New York at St. Louis.
Boston at Chicago.

Washington at Philadelphia.

National League.

Chicago at Boston.

Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.

Cincinnati at Philadelphia.

St. Louis at New York.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Southern League.

Birmingham 7, Nashville 5.

Memphis 3, Atlanta 1.

New Orleans 4, Chattanooga 1.

Little Rock 5, Mobile 2.

American League

New York 6, St. Louis 5, 11 innings.

Washington 9, Detroit 1.

Philadelphia 11, Cleveland 3.

Chicago, 4, Boston 3.

National League

New York 12, St. Louis 7.

Boston 8, Chicago 7, 10 innings.

Philadelphia 6, Cincinnati 5.

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FLUFFY, BEAUTIFUL HAIR. Send 25 cents

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**Hot? Get a long
glass, a slice of lemon,
some cracked ice and
cool off with**



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is **heat INSURANCE**

The best governmental authorities declare a coal shortage, of more or less acuteness, is sure this winter, regardless of whether or not the present coal strike is settled soon.

The wisest thing is to lay in at least a part of your winter supply of coal now.

Prices may go very much higher. Surely "Coal bought now is heat Insurance."

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125 words, 5 lines ... 1.05
150 words, 6 lines ... 1.25
175 words, 7 lines ... 1.45
200 words, 8 lines ... 1.65
225 words, 9 lines ... 1.85
250 words, 10 lines ... 2.05
275 words, 11 lines ... 2.25
300 words, 12 lines ... 2.45
325 words, 13 lines ... 2.65
350 words, 14 lines ... 2.85
375 words, 15 lines ... 3.05
400 words, 16 lines ... 3.25
425 words, 17 lines ... 3.45
450 words, 18 lines ... 3.65
475 words, 19 lines ... 3.85
500 words, 20 lines ... 4.05
525 words, 21 lines ... 4.25
550 words, 22 lines ... 4.45
575 words, 23 lines ... 4.65
600 words, 24 lines ... 4.85
625 words, 25 lines ... 5.05
650 words, 26 lines ... 5.25
675 words, 27 lines ... 5.45
700 words, 28 lines ... 5.65
725 words, 29 lines ... 5.85
750 words, 30 lines ... 6.05
775 words, 31 lines ... 6.25
800 words, 32 lines ... 6.45
825 words, 33 lines ... 6.65
850 words, 34 lines ... 6.85
875 words, 35 lines ... 7.05
900 words, 36 lines ... 7.25
925 words, 37 lines ... 7.45
950 words, 38 lines ... 7.65
975 words, 39 lines ... 7.85
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BUSINESS—Deeds, mortgages or contracts written. Fire insurance, real estate and rents collected promptly. J. A. Thornhill.

FOR RENT—Two rooms for light-housekeeping; gas stove already connected. Phone E. T. Martin, Decatur 100. July 27-31

WANTED.

WANTED—Five Hundred pairs of shoes to half sole. Men's 75c a pair, women's 65c per pair. Sewed or tacked, the same by J. M. Wright. Electric Shoe and Harness Shop, No. 3 Corby street. Hartselle, Ala. Rubber heels 40c, 50c per pair. 7-281mo.

WANTED TO RENT—A 5 or 6 room house in Albany by September. Address Box 222, Albany. 7-27-31

WANTED AT ONCE—Young man or woman familiar with office work. Good opportunity for right party. Call Room 226, Hotel Hilda, 5 to 6:30 p. m., or 10 to 11 a. m.

WANTED—Partner to take active part in paying business. Address "W." care Daily. 17-4f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Three Airdale male puppies, 4 months old; thoroughbreds. Apply to Lawson Draper, Phone Albany 437. 27-31

FOR SALE—The 8-room two story residence, store house and several town lots in Trinity, Ala. Also fourteen hundred acres farm lands adjoining and near Trinity in tracts to suit purchaser. The Estate of Jno. L. Lile, deceased. See Sam P. Lile, Trinity or W. F. Boswell, Decatur. 9-4f

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Ladies gold bar pin with emerald set. Return to C. W. Tidwell & Co. and receive reward. 23-31

LOST OR STOLEN—Somewhere in Decatur, purse containing one ten dollar bill; purse was tied with string. Return to 1317 6th Ave. south and receive reward. 27-31

MISCELLANEOUS

BAGGAGE—When you want your baggage hauled, call W. L. Price, Albany 527-W. 7-28-6f

TAXI-CAB SERVICE—The old reliable day and night service. Call W. M. Fuller, Decatur 32, Albany 396 24-6f

I PAY cash for men's second hand clothing, shoes, hats or anything of value. E. Cohen, 412 Bank St. 19-12f

FOLLOW THE CROWD. Quick sales and small profits our motto. See a few of our prices below: Sweet milk, 7 cents a pint; light bread, 7 cents a loaf; Ivory soap, 1 to 12 bars, 5 cents a bar; Ivory Soap Flakes, 5 cents a box. Coal oil, 1 to 5 gallons, 15 cents a gallon. Come and see us and be convinced that we lead in low prices. Respectfully yours, Newsom Supply Store, 515 W. Market St., Decatur, Ala.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

(1st District)
We are authorized to announce W. B. McCulloch as a candidate for member of Board of Revenue of Morgan County, Ala., 1st District, subject to action of Democratic primary on August 8, 1922. W. B. McCULLOCH.
(Paid political advertising authorized by W. B. McCulloch.)

We are authorized to announce Jack A. Robinson as a candidate for the Board of Revenue of the 1st District of Morgan County, Ala., subject to action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922.
JACK A. ROBINSON.
(Paid political advertising authorized by Jack A. Robinson.)

To the Women and Men of the First District of Morgan County:
I am a candidate for member of the County Board of Revenue subject to the action of the Democratic primary election August 8, 1922.
W. M. BROTHERS.
(Paid political advertising authorized by W. M. Brothers.)

Judge Eighth Judicial Circuit
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as one of the judges of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922.
OSCEOLA KYLE.
(Paid political advertising authorized by Osceola Kyle.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as one of the judges of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922.
ROBERT C. BRICKELL.
(Paid political advertising authorized by Robert C. Brickell.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate as one of the judges of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922.
JAMES E. HORTON, Jr.
(Paid political advertising authorized by James E. Horton, Jr.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate as one of the judges of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922.
DAVID C. JONES.
(Paid political advertising authorized by David C. Jones.)

We are authorized to announce R. E. "Bob" Stewart as a candidate for Sheriff of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922.
(Paid political advertising authorized by R. E. Stewart.)

To the Women and Men of Morgan County: I am a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 8, and if elected I will enforce all laws as they are written.
JAMES H. BALLENTINE.
(Paid political advertising authorized by James H. Ballentine.)

Solicitor Eighth Judicial Circuit
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as Solicitor of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922.
D. C. ALMON.
(Paid political advertising authorized by D. C. Almon.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for election as Solicitor of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922.
JOHN R. SAMPLE.
(Paid political advertising authorized by John R. Sample.)

Solicitor Morgan County Court
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Solicitor of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922.
C. L. PRICE.
(Paid political advertising authorized by C. L. Price.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Solicitor of the Morgan County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922.
T. C. (Cliff) ALMON.
(Paid political advertising authorized by T. C. Almon.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Solicitor of the Morgan County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922.
W. H. LONG.
(Paid political advertising authorized by W. H. Long.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Solicitor of the Morgan County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922.
J. N. POWELL.
(Paid political advertising authorized by J. N. Powell.)

For Circuit Clerk
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Clerk, subject to the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922.
JAMES L. DRAPER.
(Paid political advertising authorized by James L. Draper.)

We are authorized to announce W. R. McCluskey as a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922.
(Paid political advertising authorized by W. R. McCluskey.)

For County Board of Education
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for membership on the County Board of Education, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held August 8, 1922.
B. E. DAVIS.
(Paid political advertising authorized by B. E. Davis.)

For Probate Judge
The Daily is authorized to announce Charles M. Dinamore as a candidate for Probate Judge of Morgan County subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 8, 1922.
(Paid political advertising authorized by Charles M. Dinamore.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Probate Judge of Morgan County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election August 8, 1922.
LOVICK P. TROUP.
(Paid political advertising authorized by Lovick P. Troup.)

The Daily is authorized to announce William E. Skeggs as a candidate for Probate Judge of Morgan County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 8, 1922.
(Paid political advertising authorized by William E. Skeggs.)

For Sheriff
We are authorized to announce F. M. Hamilton as a candidate for Sheriff of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922. Your vote and influence appreciated.
(Paid political advertising authorized by F. M. Hamilton.)

We are authorized to announce J. C. Huckaby as a candidate for Sheriff of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the Democratic primary on August 8, 1922.
(Paid political advertising authorized by J. C. Huckaby.)

Attempt On Life Of Premier Feared

(By Associated Press.)

PARIS, July 28.—The French government made it known today it has received what it considers absolutely trustworthy information that an attempt against the life of Premier Poincare is being plotted in German monarchist circles.

To Preserve Sanctuary.
In James Watt's attic workshop at Heathfield hall, near Birmingham, England, his tools still lie just as he left them a hundred years ago. The owner of Heathfield hall recently died and the Watt centenary committee now purposes to take steps to preserve this sanctuary of science to the British nation.—Scientific American.

Brightening Seen Of Industrial Skies

(Continued from page 1.)

in asserting that a settlement must hinge on the willingness of all roads to restore seniority rights, including the Pennsylvania, New York Central, Erie, Delaware and Hudson and a few other "die hards," which have signified their intention of awarding the seniority to old and new workers who remained on the job.

The one concession the shop craft leader seemed willing to make was the union men who stayed on the jobs, should be permitted to succeed to the seniority, but that returned strikers should take precedence over any new men taken on since the strike began.

If the government can bring pressure enough to bear on the "die hards" to get them to abandon their unyielding stand, it was regarded as certain today that the strike will be over in quick order.

Meanwhile reports to government departments emphasized the growing seriousness of the transportation situation. More trains are being suspended more rolling stock retired because of lack of repairs, and a demoralized condition on most roads is steadily widening.

ARBITRATION ISSUE
(By Associated Press.)
PEORIA, Ill., July 28.—The fundamental issue being fought out in the railroad shopmen's strike is that of arbitration, declared Samuel O. Dunn, chief editor of Railway Age, in addressing the Rotary Club here today. He predicted the outcome of the strike will promote peaceful settlements of railroad labor disputes in the future.

STATUS QUO
(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 28.—With tentative proposals for settlement of the shopmen's strike drawn up after conferences between the President and labor leaders, the situation was expected to remain more or less at status quo, pending a meeting of the railroad executives in New York next Tuesday. Union officials declined to comment but indications of hopeful progress were seen.

PLACE PICKED
(By International News Service.)
NEW YORK, July 28.—Tuesday 11 a. m. at the New Haven board room, Grand Central station, was named as the test hour of the great railroad strike, by rail officials today. At that hour 148 of the leading railway executives of the nation will meet to hear, from the lips of T. Dewitt Cuyler, chairman of the Association of Railway Executives, the proposals of President Harding for stopping the strike.

PLAN TURNED DOWN
(By International News Service.)
WASHINGTON, July 28.—The separate plan proposed to striking railroad workers by Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore and Ohio, it was asserted here today in reliable labor quarters.

TROOPS NOTS NEEDED
MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 28.—(Special.)—Conditions in the strike of railroad shopmen in Jefferson

Oriental Dancer Sues Millionaire Whitney's Son



Miss Evan Burrows Fontaine, noted Oriental dancer, of New York according to an announcement by her mother, Mrs. Florence E. Fontaine, will bring proceedings in Saratoga Springs, N. Y., to prove the parentage of her eighteen-months-old baby, whom she calls Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, Jr. She alleges the father of the child is Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, son of Harry Whitney, the multi-millionaire New York sportsman. Whitney is a student at Yale and a member of the Yale crew. His engagement to Miss Marie Norton, daughter of Mrs. Sheridan Shuck Norton, was announced only a few weeks ago. It is said Miss Fontaine will ask no money.

county have not warranted the use of the troops which were mobilized Tuesday night, according to a report made to Governor Kilby today by Col. A. A. Moon, head of the state military department, who returned during the day from Birmingham where he went to make an investigation of the situation.

The guardsmen will continue to be mobilized in the old postoffice building at Birmingham until further orders are issued. It is not considered probable that they will be called for active duty unless overt acts are committed.

Officials of Jefferson county and Birmingham have expressed the opinion that the situation will remain quiet and that there will be no need for the use of troops.

THREE PLANS UP
(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 28.—Three proposals for immediate ending of the railroad strike were submitted to representatives of the executives and labor unions, according to information obtained from an administration advisor who talked with the executives. One of these said for the roads to waive the seniority question and take all strikers back; another was said to be to give the "loyal" men seniority; while the third was to adjust separately the seniority dispute.

TELEGRAMS SENT
(By Associated Press.)
SALISBURY, N. C., July 28.—J. M. Ellis, one of the six chairmen of the shop crafts of the Southern railway, today received a telegram from Henry Miller, general manager of the Southern, calling him to Washington for a conference. He said similar messages had been sent to the other five general chairmen of the road.

Oiled Axes Stop Friction.
Wheels with ordinary axes actually run on films of oil. When the axle is placed under the microscope its surface, which to the eye is smooth, really is covered with depressions and bumps. So, too, with the inside of the hub of the wheel. If the wheel were allowed to run without the bumps on the axle and on the hub would rub together and cause friction. This would cause the axle and hub to become heated and expand and stick.

Suspended Animation.
Insects which spend most of their lives in a torpid or semi-torpid condition are seldom injured and never killed by being frozen. There are numerous instances of travelers in mountain regions having found beetles and butterflies above the snow line which were stiff, frozen and apparently dead. When carried down to the warmer air in the valley, however, they revived in a very short time.

The Hi Wind.
The newly elected mayor of a country town was about to make his first journey in that capacity through the place. The townspeople had arranged that from an arch of flowers, under which he was to pass, a floral crown should be hung, surmounted by the words, "He well deserves it." But the wind blew away the crown, and when the mayor passed under the arch only a rope with a noose at the end of it dangled, with "He well deserves it."

Their Remaining Years.
Statisticians tell us that, according to figures, if the husband dies first, the wife lives, on the average, another 11 years. If the wife dies first, the husband lives another nine years.

State Treasu.

Geo. W. Ellis candidate for treasurer of Alabama was in the city today. Mr. Ellis has been in public life in Alabama for a number of years and is known as a capable official.

Power Tests Character.
Nothing discloses real character like the use of power. It is easy for the weak to be gentle. Most people can bear adversity. But if you wish to know what a man really is, give him power. This is the supreme test. It is the glory of Lincoln that, having almost absolute power, he never abused it, except on the side of mercy. He spoke not to inflame, not to upbraid, but to convince. He was the embodiment of the self-denial, the courage, the hope, the nobility of the nation.—Robert Green Ingersoll.

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Hager's Magnolia Balm beautifies instantly 75 years' wonderful success. Removes freckles, eruptions, sunburns, tan-makes skin like velvet. Won't rub off, a color. Brunette, White, Pink, and Rose-Red for lips and cheeks. Sold by all dealers, or direct from us, 75 cents, postpaid.



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Moore Elected To Succeed Barrett
(By International News Service.)
MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 28.—Walter Moore, of Birmingham, was unanimously elected national Democratic committeeman from Alabama at a meeting of members of the committee here this afternoon. J. H. Webb, of Mobile, presided at the meeting.

Goodrich new tire prices
—lowest cost mileage ever known.

The new base line tire prices established by Goodrich, effective July 20th, give motorists a definite guide to tire prices as Goodrich Tires are the definite standard of Tire quality. They know now they can buy the very best tire—the one quality Silvertown—the tire that has always held its leadership because—it wears longer, looks better, and because, mileage considered, it costs less than any other tire at any price. Dealers have been quick to point out to their customers the big advantage and economy of buying

Silvertown Cords

at such base line prices as these:

SIZE	BASE LINE PRICE	SIZE	BASE LINE PRICE
30 x 3 1/2 CL.	\$13.50	34 x 4 S. B.	\$30.85
31 x 3.85 CL.	15.95	32 x 4 "	37.70
30 x 3 1/2 S. B.	15.95	33 x 4 "	38.55
32 x 3 1/2 "	22.95	34 x 4 "	39.50
31 x 4 "	26.45	35 x 4 "	40.70
32 x 4 "	29.15	33 x 5 "	46.95
33 x 4 "	30.05	35 x 5 "	49.30

New base line prices are also effective on Goodrich Fabric Tires

SIZE	BASE LINE PRICE	SIZE	BASE LINE PRICE
30 x 3 "55"	\$9.65	32 x 4 S. B. (safety)	\$21.20
30 x 3 1/2 "55"	10.65	33 x 4 "	22.35
32 x 3 1/2 (safety)	16.30	34 x 4 "	22.85

No extra charge for excise tax. This tax is paid by Goodrich. See your dealer, and place your order NOW for your Goodrich tire requirements.

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Mrs. Baldwin Is Dead At Flint Home

Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Baldwin died Thursday afternoon at the residence of her son W. E. Baldwin at Flint. Mrs. Baldwin is survived by two sons, W. E. Baldwin and E. M. Baldwin, of Flint, and two daughters, Mrs. Mary Stinson of Birmingham and Mrs. McClanahan of Vinemont. Mrs. Baldwin was very old, and had been in feeble health for some time. She was held in the highest esteem among her friends and acquaintances, and had lived for a long time at Flint, where she was known for her pious life and kind ministrations during her residence there.

Operators Declare Have No Knowledge Of Rumored Parley

(Continued from page 1.)

At the Montour No. 4 mine of the Pittsburg Coal company one of the largest mines in this section, and the first to heed President Harding's demand for reopening, work was stopped when less than 10 tons of coal were brought to the surface. Another attempt will be made to open the mine.

Company officials are aiding the strike breakers to man the mine.

FAMILY IMPROVES

News received today from the home of J. M. Jackson and family who were in a serious automobile wreck a few days ago, is that they are all improving, though still confined to their beds under the care of a trained nurse. Mr. Jackson, who it was thought would lose an eye, hopes are now entertained that no such serious injury will result.

Suppressing a Squeak

Recently it has been discovered at Macclesfield, in England, that a brake block on a car must not be made of an old law be allowed to squeak. A quarry owner was summoned for allowing a car to be driven without an appliance for lessening the noise caused by the brakes, and though he pleaded that the car did not make as much noise as many motorcars, he had to pay the costs of the prosecution. Macclesfield is a town where they make silk; will they some day discover that there is an ancient law forbidding silk to rustle?

Nitrates From Explosives

A plant has been established near Turin, Italy, for the transformation of explosives into nitrates for agricultural uses. These explosives are to be gathered from the battlefields to the value of 1,000,000 lire, and their products combined with other materials for the production of fertilizers. The factory now employs 250 men and is expected to produce 30,000 quintals of fertilizers, containing 15 per cent azote, within a short time, according to a report of Consul Dana C. Sykes.

Mother of Ballooning

A washerwoman was the mother of ballooning and it all started in France about 1780. The washerwoman wished to dry a skirt more rapidly than could be accomplished by air and sunshine, so she rigged it up over the fireplace. The hot air soon dried the cloth and the woman was astonished to see it round out into a ball and float up to the ceiling. A neighbor named Montgolfier saw the strange occurrence and it gave him the idea from which he made the first balloon.

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SOCIETY NEWS

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Friday.

Rook Party, 10 a. m., for Misses Bell and King—Mrs. Ingold Timberlake.

Canal Street Rook Club—Mrs. William Voorhies.

Mrs. William Voorhies entertained delightfully at her home on Canal Street, giving a Bridge Luncheon Thursday, in honor of her house guests Mrs. Logan Patterson of Prospect, Tenn., Mrs. P. F. Crenshaw of Memphis, Tenn., and Miss Sue May of Pulaski, Tenn., and Mrs. Will Wyker's guests, Mrs. Eric Scheuler of Kansas City, Mrs. Jas. Blackburn and Mrs. Hanlon Long of Pulaski.

The house was attractively decorated with garden flowers in bright colors. In the bridge game the prize for high score, a pretty fan of grass and straw, was awarded to Mrs. Fred Hunt, the honoree also being presented with fans of similar design. A delicious plate lunch was served at the card tables, each table being centered with a silver vase of marguerites and ferns.

Those enjoying this courtesy were Mesdames Patterson, Crenshaw, Scheuler, Blackburn, Long, Miss May, the honorees and Mesdames Hugh Greer, Rufus Pearson, W. N. Cowden, Russell Green, J. H. Calvin, Fred Hunt and Will Wyker.

Thursday night Miss Kaleer Day and Miss Mary Hodges were joint hostesses at a pretty porch party, entertaining in honor of Miss Leah Wilson of Union Springs, who is the guest of Miss Thelma Morrow. The porch of their Second avenue apartment was attractive with gay Japanese lanterns and sunflowers. Rook was enjoyed till a late hour, after which iced melon was served to the following: Misses Wilson Thelma Morrow, Wilma and Virginia Ross, Bess Cobb, Vera Polk, Mrs. Fred Sittason and Mesdames. Edgar Nichols, Jimmie Howard, Guy Thompson, Carl Gibson, Everett and Thomas Brooks, Robert Gray, and Fred Sittason, Mrs. Roy Lewis and Mrs. Fred Sittason assisted in serving.

Mrs. J. Y. Hamill entertained a number of the out-of-town visitors Thursday afternoon, giving a bridge party at her home on Lafayette street. Pretty garden flowers were used as decorations in the living rooms. Mrs. James Blackburn was presented a sautoir as prize for high score, Mrs. William Voorhies cut the consolation, a hand-painted vanity, and Miss Mildred Seals was presented the prize for low score, score cards. Mrs. Hamill served a salad and ice course to her guests, who were: Mrs. E. H. Seals and Miss Mildred Seals of New York City, the guests of Mrs. W. H. Driskill, Mrs. James Blackburn, Mrs. Hanlon Long of Pulaski, and Mrs. Eric Scheuler of Kansas City, the guests of Mrs. Will Wyker, Miss Sue May of Pulaski, and Mrs. Logan Patterson of Prospect, the guests of Mrs. Wm. Voorhies, Mrs. W. G. Hamill of Troy, Mrs. Jackson Edwards of Atlanta, Mrs. W. K. McNeill, Mrs. W. E. Crawford, Mrs. Sarah Jeffries, Mrs. W. H. Driskill, Mrs. W. W. Voorhies, and Mrs. Will Wyker.

Mrs. J. B. Schimmel was hostess at a picnic supper Thursday night complimenting her nieces, Misses Jeanette and Margaret Ann Goodman of Birmingham, who are the guests of their grandmother, Mrs. G. M. Goodman. The bounteous spread was enjoyed at Fennels Spring, by the following: Frances Anne and Johnny-Boy Green, Betty Baird, Marion Anne Schimmel, Pearl Elizabeth and Roy Ridgeway, J. D. and Lucian Bush, Charles Arnold Mesdames Frank Yoe, J. D. Bush, W. W. Ridgeway, R. T. Catlett, Miss Edith Goodman, and the honorees.

COTTON MARKET

(By International News Service.)

NEW YORK, July 28.—Steady cables from Liverpool, strength in securities and an absence of improvement in the weather, led to a moderate demand at the opening of the cotton market today and resulted in initial gains of nine to eleven points. Trading was not broad. Liverpool and Wall street were among the early buyers. New Orleans was a seller.

HOME-MAKING HELPS

"Everything About the House Helps to Make the Home"

By WANDA BARTON

Are You Interested in the Latest Fashionable Desk Fittings?

A DESK is to most of us a dear and intimate possession, and anything in the way of attractive fittings appeals to all who keep their desks dainty and up-to-date. For the drop leaf desk, there is nothing prettier than a yellow blotter bound in black leather, and the new black glass fittings. There is a great variety in the shape of the fittings, which should be chosen to suit both the desk and the room where it is to stand.

For a young girl's desk there are smart little sets of different colors. These pieces are of more silk covered with thin celluloid, which looks like highly-finished fancy leather. The blotters are rimmed with silk and celluloid to match the pieces. Fancy quilted or feather-tipped pens match the blotters in color.

Brass, bronze, black glass or dark leather sets are the thing to get for men-folk's desks, the blotters supplying the needed high light.

For younger desk owners there are wee sets covered in Mother Goose cretonne, protected with celluloid, and the sets may be wiped off with a sticky cloth when dusty or dulled by sticky finger-prints.

For those who do not have a regular desk, but use a flat-topped table with drawers, there are leather cases and pads which are very attractive, and which offer a medium of privacy for letters. Men as a rule like table desks, for there is so much available room on the top, but women favor the old-fashioned desks with lots of little drawers and pigeon holes.

With the changing of other fashions, letter-paper has changed, also, from the styles that were correct when our mothers were young. Correspondence cards, formerly three or four by five inches in size, with gold-lined edges, have given way to cards twice their size with gaily-colored or silver, gold and metal-stripped paper. Letter-paper in tan and gray has decked or torn edges, and the envelopes are large enough to slip the paper in without folding.

Most of the paper and envelopes have monograms which are more or less complicated, and they usually match the color lining of the envelope. More conservative women still insist upon plain heavy linen paper. Women who live out-of-town for part or all of the year often use stationery with the railroad station, and under that the phone number and exchange engraved at the top, and with the postal telegraph and street number on the bottom line. The stationery may be indicated by a wee picture of an engine, the phone by a small instrument, and the postal telegraph by a telegraph pole. This makes everything clear to the week-end visitor. The envelope is small, so it does not take up more room than a monogram.

Others have the address and phone but in the left-hand upper corner of the letter-paper, and on the flap of the envelope as well. The envelope is best liked for these papers are rectangular in shape, not the extreme sizes.

Stamping with sealing wax is no longer done by the more fashionable people. The paper seals that were brought out awhile ago cheapened the idea, and it was dropped by women who kept posted on these little changes of fashion.

In fitting up the wee desk there are several varieties of paper that are decorated with nursery rhymes, figures, birds, animals, characters from "Alice in Wonderland," and other things that interest children, but it is a good idea to teach the youngsters that while these papers are all right to use when writing to little friends, plain paper of good quality is the thing to use when writing to a grown-up friend or relative.

Respect the privacy of both little and big desks, for the contents are dear to the hearts of their owners.

Danger To Nation's Existence Seen By Joint Commission

(Continued from page 1.)

America, the report says: "Where family life is dishonored, wedding unfaithfulness lightly regarded, parental responsibility neglected, filial respect and obedience slighted, there, we may be sure, society is rotten at the core. We tremble for the future of a state or nation where lax theories concerning domestic life gain ground. Even laxer practice will certainly prevail."

"The remedy for the frightful dissolution of the marriage tie going on in America and its inevitable consequence of race suicide is to be found in Christian training alone. Remedial legislation while imposing difficulties in the way of easy annulment does not go to the root of the evil. It attacks many outward symptoms of the disease and is of undoubted value, but it does not destroy the germ of the evil or cure it at its source."

"Boys and girls must be taught as early as possible that the chief purpose of marriage is the perpetuation of the race, involving the begetting and education of children for the work of the world. Marriage is a high and holy vocation because the married pair are cooperating with the creator in the continuance of the human race."

"This Commission heartily endorses the warning uttered by the great Lambeth Conference of Bishops, gathered from all over the world in London in 1920, against the practice of means for the avoidance of conception as involving grave dangers to physical health as well as moral innocence, and threatening the future of the human race. We make our own the words of the Conference Committee, as applying in particular to the United States."

The report is signed by Rt. Rev. William H. Moreland D. D. Bishop of Sacramento, who is chairman of the commission; Rt. Rev. Sidney Catlin Partridge, D. D. Bishop of Western New York; Rt. Rev. Walter Taylor Summer, D. D., Bishop of Oregon; Rt. Rev. Charles Fiske, D. D., Bishop Coadjutor of Central New York, Rt. Rev. John C. Ward, Bishop of Erie, Rev. J. H. Mellich, of Brooklyn, Rev. Edwin S. Lane, of Los Angeles, Rev. E. S. Travers, D. D. of Pittsburgh, Robert A. Woods, Clinton Rogers Woodruff, James M. Bull and Frank Spittle.

PERSONALS

Melvin Hutson has returned from a visit to Montegale, Tenn.

J. R. Mallory of Phoenix, Arizona, a former resident of the Twin-Cities was the guest Wednesday of Dr. and Mrs. R. H. McGlathery.

W. N. Cowden is expected to arrive from Memphis Saturday to spend the month of August with his family here.

Ted Sheppard who has been critically ill, is improving rapidly, and expects to be able to resume his duties in a few days.

W. H. Johnson is in Birmingham, on business.

WATERMELON FEAST

The men's Brotherhood Bible Class of the Decatur Baptist Church will have a watermelon cutting tonight at 7 o'clock on the church lawn, all of the men of the congregation are expected to be present. A special program will be rendered at 7:30 o'clock to which everybody is invited. No invitations have been mailed. Come.

A. T. HANSON, Pres.

RED CROSS GIRLS SETTING FASHIONS

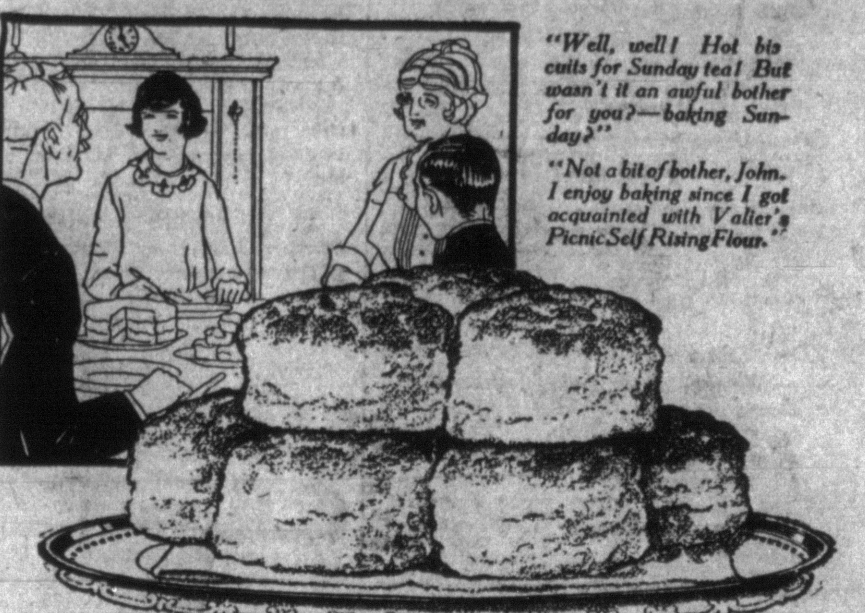
(By Associated Press.)

CETTINJE, MONTENEGRO, July 28.—For more than 500 years the women of Montenegro have been in mourning. They have worn the solemn black clothes and little "porkie" caps of a drag hue all this time as a token of their grief over the loss of Montenegro's independence to the Turks in 1389. But now that they are united with the Serbians, they are changing to less sombre raiment.

American girls have had something to do with other changes in the style of women's dress. When they came here with the American Red Cross they introduced smart short skirts, picture hats, and pointed high-heeled shoes. These have been adopted by some of the native women. Any afternoon now one may see on Cetinje's only boulevard women attired in bright colored gowns and wearing American-style hats and shoes.

CHILD IMPROVES

Late information from Luke, Jr., little son of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Pryor, is to the effect that he is improving nicely at Barr's infirmary at Nashville. The boy was injured recently by a fall from an automobile.



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Notice!

Former Employes of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company will be paid off by check in accordance with the usual custom of the Railroad Company at office of Local Freight Agent, E. N. Penick, at the Decatur Freight Station. Payment will begin at 10 a. m. Saturday, July 29, 1922, and will be in the following order:

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ARMY DIRIGIBLE COMPLETES FLIGHT

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 28.—The dirigible C-2 arrived at Aberdeen, Md. proving grounds at 6 o'clock this morning, concluding the return trip of the non-stop flight to New York, on which the dirigible left Bolling field here at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Blushes Worth Money.
Are you one of those unfortunate people who get very red on occasion—particularly when it makes it all the more embarrassing? But in the case of women, at least, there is an alleviating circumstance. In some countries a blush is worth good money. In the Circassian slave market a young woman who has the gift of blushing fetches a much higher price than the others. So there is one part of the world at least where this is an asset and not a liability.

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A SETTLER'S HOME

WINNING PROSPERITY
OTTAWA, Ont.—Sixty million dollars is saved to Canadian farmers annually as a result of the experimental work on government farms in charge of scientific agriculturists.
This was the statement of E. S. Archibald, director of Dominion farms, in an address before the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturists.
Starting with four farms in 1886, the government now operates twenty-two farms, seven sub-stations, two tobacco stations, and 100 illustrative farms.
The benefit that Canadian farmers have received from these experimental stations, said Mr. Archibald, is incalculable. The fertile region along the transcontinental lines of the Canadian National Railways was wilderness a few years ago. Today it is a picture of diversified farming prosperity. Settlers are pouring in. Their prosperity is built on livestock, field crops, and dairying and is due in a very large degree to the educational results of the work on experimental farms.
Marquis wheat, now the staple wheat of Western Canada, was produced by Dr. Charles Saunders, Dominion cerealist on the central experimental farm near Ottawa. Dr. Saunders originated hullless oats and beardless barley. To the experimental farms was due the transformation of the sunflower from a weed into a silage crop.
These discoveries have helped settlers solve farm problems. Marquis wheat has probably put more money in the pockets of farmers of Canada than any other soil product. Hullless oats and beardless barley are becoming popular. Sunflower silage with pit-silos has reduced the costs of keeping dairy herds and made it possible for small farmers to share in the profits of dairying.
The government farms teach the farmers what to do and what not to do to insure the greatest profits and it is the work of government scientists that has brought farming in Canada to its present high standards.

DR. CHARLES E. SAUNDERS

"Hottest Week" Grips Twin Cities

Fans and more fans; electric fans, palm leaf fans, the open and shut kind; in fact most any kind of contrivance that would help to dig up the humid atmosphere which has obtained here for the past three days, and cause it to circulate freely are being eagerly sought. Among the hottest days of the season have been registered here this week, and linen collars were not long in being made ready for the laundry again, as mid-summer began to get in its work on the large host of helpless individuals. The showers which fell in the county Thursday evening failed to reach the Twin Cities, but dodged this point, beginning beyond Fairview and extending the entire length of the Bee Line highway to Hartselle and surrounding territory.

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Extremely Quiet At Courthouse

Officials at the court house are just keeping open house, with very little routine business in evidence. Everything is extremely quiet is the verdict of all the county officials. Many of them are with the county candidates at the speaking appointments over the county this week. The most strenuous part of the entire campaign is now being carried out. The number of prisoners at the county jail remains about the same as for several weeks past. The total number at this date being 21. The sheriff's office like the rest of the county offices is transacting very little business, and quiet, is the word emanating from that point. Sheriff J. V. May and chief deputy Sharpe are with the candidates today.

Bible Thought for Today

TRUTH MAKES FREE.—Then said Jesus, If ye continue in my word, then are ye my disciples indeed; and ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.—John 8: 31, 32.

New York Letter

by Lucy Jeanne Price



NEW YORK, July 28.—Antiquarians may begin digging up New York state as well as Greece and Egypt, in their search for treasures. An exquisite statue, said by local sculptors to be Grecian and 2,000 years old, has been found by workmen digging up a water main on Greystone, the estate of Samuel Untermyer, between Manhattan and Yonkers. The statue is one of the goddess of grain, called Demeter by the Greeks and Ceres by the Romans. No theory as to the presence of the statue on the estate has been advanced.

Veterinary surgeons threaten to become a thing of the past. The automobiles are killing them off. For the first time in the history of the New York county clerks' office, no veterinary has applied to register within the past six months. Twenty-five years ago, as many as fifty were registered here within six months. In the last fifteen years, there has been a gradual dropping off of applicants, and the clerks' office doubts that there will ever be any more.

Madge Kennedy is coming back to the speaking stage this coming season. Contracts have been signed bringing her under John Golden's management for the production of "Spit Corner," a new comedy by Frank Craven, said to be much of the type of "The First Year."

Hula Lu, chieftain of a wild tribe of Kurds in Persia, seems a long way from Manhattan Island, but his shadow has rested upon our courts and given an added bit of interest to warm and jaded days. Mrs. Esther Abraham, widow of a minister who formerly lived in Assyria, is suing her cousin Paul Shimmion, to recover 21,000 kran. Ever since Hula Lu and his men swarmed down upon the Kurd village where Mrs. Abraham owned property, no one has seemed to know just what a kran is worth.

Surplus Cotton Placed On Market

Practically every day there can be observed coming to the market here wagons loaded with 8 to 10 bales of cotton. This cotton represents part of the surplus which has been kept in the county from last season, and is gradually finding its way to market. Cotton buyers are unanimous in the opinion that the smallest stocks of cotton are now actually on hand than for many years past. It is understood that the staple is bringing near 22c.

They're Generally Full-Grown.
Having read that a boy was arrested "for driving an automobile under age" we are inclined to believe that the writer did not mean to say that—Albany Journal

PHYSICIAN ADVISES PEOPLE

"My wife suffered for years with stomach trouble which did not yield to any treatment. She took a dose of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy last Saturday with wonderful results. I have practiced medicine for 20 years and have never seen anything like it before. I have recommended Mayr's Wonderful Remedy to several that I know need this treatment." It removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded at all druggists everywhere. Advertisement.

Answers to Health Questions

1. J. B. Q.—Will you kindly advise me about...
2. In there any harm in taking a half-pound of granulated sugar dissolved in water every day?
A—Kindly send a self-addressed, stamped envelope for full particulars, and restate your question.
2.—This is a very bad practice, as it is not necessary, and will ultimately affect your digestive organs and general health.
C. G. Q.—Kindly tell me if gall-stones can be cured without an operation.
A—No, an operation is the only cure for this condition.
F. O. D. Q.—For some time I have been suffering with a blister on the ball of my foot. This seems to all with pus and after the pus has been extracted the skin seems to shrivel up. What do you think this is, and what is a remedy for it?
A—You should consult a surgeon for examination and treatment. I cannot say what your trouble is without a personal examination.
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The State of Alabama, Morgan County—Probate Court.—In the matter of the estate of J. F. Syler, deceased.
To whom it may concern: You are hereby notified that J. W. Syler, as the administrator of J. F. Syler, deceased, did on the 10th day of July, 1922, file in this court his account and vouchers for a final settlement of his administration of the said estate, and that the 14th day of August, 1922, is the day and time fixed by the court for the hearing hereon, at which time you may appear and contest the same, if you think proper so to do.
Given under my hand, this the 10th day of July, 1922.
L. P. TROUP,
Judge of Probate.
July 14, 21, 28

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT.
The State of Alabama, Morgan County—Probate Court.—In the matter of the estate of Louis Zulau, non compos mentis.
To whom it may concern: You are hereby notified that Mrs. Lara Zulau, as the guardian of Louis Zulau, a non compos mentis, did on the 10th day of July, 1922, file in this court his account and vouchers for a partial settlement of her administration of the said estate, and that the 14th day of August, 1922, is the day and time fixed by the court for the hearing thereon, at which time you may appear and contest the same, if you think proper so to do.
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NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT.
The State of Alabama, Morgan County—Probate Court.—In the matter of the estate of W. B. Simmons, deceased.
To Mrs. Fannie McMullin, of Rome, Ohio; M. B. Simmons, address unknown; J. T. Simmons, Orlando, Fla., and any other persons in interest: You are hereby notified that W. B. Simmons, as the administrator of W. B. Simmons, deceased, did on the 3rd day of July, 1922, file in this court his account and vouchers for a final settlement of his administration of the said estate, and that the 11th day of July, 1922, is the day and time fixed by the court for the hearing thereon, at which time you may appear and contest the same, if you think proper so to do.
Given under my hand, this the 10th day of July, 1922.
L. P. TROUP,
Judge of Probate.
July 14, 21, 28

NOTICE OF SALE.
Circuit Court, Morgan County, Alabama, in Equity. Catherine Bibb Hartshorne et al., as executors, vs. C. E. Malone et al.
Under and by virtue of a decree rendered June 20, 1922, in the above styled cause by the Circuit Court of Morgan County, Alabama, in Equity, will proceed on Monday, August 21, 1922, within the legal hours of sale, before the door of the Court House of Morgan County in Decatur, Alabama, to sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, the following described land situated in Morgan County, Alabama: Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11), in Block One (1), Addition Three (3) of Decatur Land Improvement and Furnace Company to Decatur, Alabama, as shown by map or plat of said addition filed for record in the office of the Probate Judge of Morgan County, Alabama.
Witness my hand as Register, this July 21, 1922.
MARVIN WEST,
Register.
July 21-28, Aug. 4.

YOUR HEALTH

Why Cheerfulness Means Much to True Good Health

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.
Commissioner of Health, New York City



DR. COPELAND
MANY times I have spoken about the wisdom of our grandmothers. I hope you had the privilege of long association with yours, as I had with mine. Grandmothers are such dears!
One of my grandmothers was born while George Washington was President, so you see her period of activity was in pioneer times. But she lived to be such an old lady that I have the precious memory of eight or ten years of daily visits with her.
How different was the life of a woman a hundred years ago from the life of a woman of exactly the same social station today! Women are sometimes a little more resentful of the passage of the years than are men. But time has done much for the women. Woman's lot is far easier today than it was when Grandmother was young. Personally, I am glad of it, and I hope it will continue to improve with the years.
The chief defect of the old-time life was not so much the toil as it was the dreadful monotony of the existence. Thursday was like Wednesday, and Wednesday like Tuesday. There were no high lights. In consequence, those good souls grew old at an age when modern women are in their prime.
The main danger of woman's life, as I see it, is her confinement to the duties and limited atmosphere of the house. She does not come into contact with the world and its wider interests, as does her husband. It follows, then, that the dinner hour is to her just as dull as the rest of the day. It is filled with thoughts and with conversation relating to the inside doings of the home.
The first essential to good health is cheerfulness of spirit. Without happiness and contentment there can be no real vigor of body. Contentment, too, must be something more than mere numbness of the soul. It must not be founded on passive submission to the exigencies of life. It must be the sort of blissful exaltation you have after a good dinner and an evening at the opera, or theatre when the entertainment is just to your taste. It must be such contentment as accompanies a righteous life, filled with good works or devoted to a satisfying religion.
Woman's life should be so ordered that she has this sort of contentment. It requires character to accept cheerfully all the sacrifices of home-making and child-rearing. But these sacrifices will be carried more easily if there are established contacts with the world outside the walls of the house. Mountains

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PLEASURE AND KNOWLEDGE GAINED BY VACATIONING IN QUEBEC

One, two or more weeks of the school vacation spent in historically rich Quebec will prove of inestimable value to teachers of history and geography. Personal acquaintance with scenes whereon the drama of America's infant struggles were staged is certain to lend a piquancy to lessons concerning early American history, both for pupils and for teachers.

The St. Lawrence River, an im-

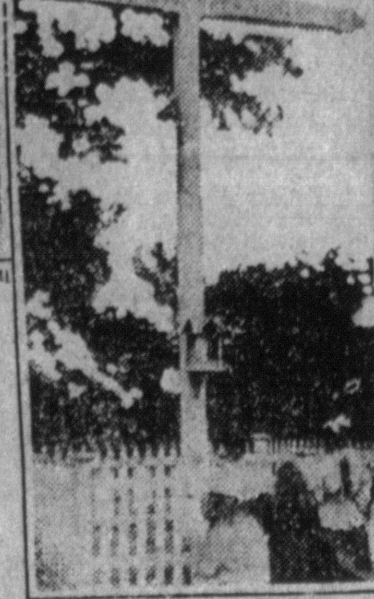


CHURCH OF BON SECOURS, MONTREAL NOTED FOR ITS CHAPEL IN THE TOWER.

portant link in international travel and commerce today, was discovered by Jacques Cartier in 1535 after having turned back from what is now known as the Gulf of St. Lawrence, the preceding year. Cartier's mission was to find a western water route to China and he was loath to enter upon the great river, well knowing that it would not further his ends. This intrepid mariner of St. Malo in Brittany made his first visit to the Indian village of Hochelaga, now Montreal, on Oct. 2nd, 1535. On this occasion he visited and named



WAYSIDE SHRINE IN RURAL QUEBEC



ST. JAMES CHURCH IN MONTREAL, THE ST. PETER'S OF CANADA

Mt. Royal, the playground of today's Canadian metropolis. After Cartier came a long string

of daring pioneers, Champlain, Hennepin, Marquette, La Salle and others who fought their way through savage-infested wildernesses to the Mississippi and opened the way to the Gulf of Mexico, paying a heavy price in blood and hardships for the honor of planting the Lilies of France or the Cross on new soil.

Churches large and small, ornate and severely plain, are to be found



ST. JAMES CHURCH IN MONTREAL, THE ST. PETER'S OF CANADA

all over the province. They tell the tale of the march of the Cross into this one-time wilderness and of the struggles of the Jesuits, Redemptorists and other orders to win the savages to their faith, a struggle that often ended in the martyrdom of the brave soldiers of the Cross.

The history of our own early colonists is more or less interwoven with that of eastern Canada and a first hand study of our neighbors' country will result in a clearer understanding of those early days and struggles.

War's Aftermath Brings Degree Of Prosperity For Palestine

(By Associated Press.) JERUSALEM, July 28.—No one who knew the Holy Land in the days of the Turkish regime can fail to note the great changes that have taken place throughout the country since the close of the war.

The Turkish army stripped Palestine of its animals to such a degree that when the American Red Cross arrived in June of 1918 there were many villages without a single ploughing animal, and neither sheep nor goats were seen on the hillsides. Today it is not uncommon, for an automobile to come to a standstill on the principal streets of Jerusalem to allow a flock of hundreds of sheep and goats to pass by, and out in the country the grey hillsides are covered with thousands of these animals. Italy gets a large amount of her goat material from the kids of Palestine.

Whereas much still remains to be done, a great improvement already has been made in the character of the work animals. The army left behind it tens of thousands of horses

mules and donkeys, but even better than this the natives seem to have learned valuable lessons in the care and feeding of stock, so that today the horses of the public carriages in Jerusalem are far sleeker and finer than ever they were before the war.

Farm produce of all kinds brings a much better price than formerly; hence the villagers are prosperous and indulge in luxuries undreamed of in pre-war days. The markets of Jerusalem were never before supplied with such a wealth and variety of delectable articles, and vendors of emonade and ice-cream do a thriving business. In the dry-goods, clothing and shoe stores the most fastidious can find French and English, and to a lesser degree American goods, for which they did not even look in pre-war days.

It is interesting to note the changes in the villagers. Formerly they nearly all walked to Jerusalem, even from a distance that took them four and five hours. Now public automobiles run out into the country for 10 miles and have largely monopolized transportation. The charge for a ride is 50 cents, formerly the price of a day's work. The roads are now almost deserted by pedestrians, but American motor cars pass frequently. The road pen and ink-horn of the educated villager has been scrapped by the modern American self-filling fountain pen.

Wages for skilled and unskilled labor have risen several hundred percent, and good mechanics now demand five dollars a day. The hours of labor used to be from sun-rise till sun-set, but by the organization of labor unions they now have in Jaffa an eight-hour day. Lack of organization throughout the country is the only thing that retards the change in other places. The quality of workmanship has not kept pace with the rise in prices, and whereas in carpentry there are found some excellent mechanics, most of the trades are carried on by very mediocre artisans.

A prominent educated Syrian Christian recently expressed the view that the Zionist movement was a good thing for the Syrians as it would prove a spur to greater effort and improvement.

Advice. Don't try to sail on the sea of matri money until you have raised the wind

INJURED VETERANS URGED TO ACTION

There are a large number of veterans throughout the country, probably thousands of them, who have neglected to apply for a certificate of injury. The failure to obtain this certificate will militate against the veterans in making application for compensation under the Veterans' Bureau, in the event that he fails to apply for compensation within five years from date of discharge. There fore the Director of the Bureau, Col. Charles R. Forbes, is urging veteran organizations to advise their members of the necessity of securing such a certificate.

The certificate of injury must be obtained prior to August 9, 1922, as provided in Section 306 of the War Risk Insurance Act, as amended August 9, 1921. This section of the Act covers the limitations of the right of an ex-soldier to obtain compensation for a disability resulting from a disease or injury of service origin unless the disease or injury has resulted in a disability within one year from date of discharge, or unless the discharged soldier or sailor in question can obtain from the Director of the United States Veterans' Bureau a certificate of injury within one year from the date of separation from the service or prior to August 9, 1922. The Director of the Veterans' Bureau desires to inform the persons who may have sustained an injury or disease in the service, likely to result in death or disability, as to their right to certificate of injury and also as to the limitations of the statute which make it imperative that they have such certificate if compensation should be payable for disability resulting from such injury.

FRENCH ACTOR WOUNDED DURING PLAY IN LILLE

(By International News Service.) LILLE, France, July 28.—Less poignant because accidental, but no less a shock to the audience, a tragedy similar to that in "Pagliacci" was enacted at a local theater.

The play being presented was a melodrama in which a woman shoots a dancing partner who has been untrue to her.

No one knows how it came about that loaded cartridges were substituted for the blanks. When the actress who played the betrayed woman pulled the trigger her colleague crumpled up all too naturally.

Everyone applauded heartily even when the announcement came that "the comedy is finished." The actor, M. Rene Renaud, is in a Lille hospital, seriously wounded.

Electric Refrigeration.

A brine tank in place of ice, which by means of an electrical instrument keeps a near temperature in the refrigerator, is growing in popularity in suburban and country places where ice is difficult to obtain. Its advantages are that it does away with the ice man, it gives a dry temperature advantageous for the preservation of food, and there is no slime, dirt or drip as with the use of ice. It is arranged to freeze a little ice for table use when that is desired. It is not an inexpensive luxury, costing about \$400 to install in any refrigerator.

ARTHUR JONES IS KIWANIS SPEAKER

Practical talks by practical men, who represent and conduct various lines of endeavor, is proving a most instructive feature at Kiwanis meetings. At recent meetings much has been given the membership that heretofore has been a "sealed book," but these talks familiarize as to how manufacturers is accomplished and benefits of the finished product. Thursday, at the luncheon at the "Y" Arthur Jones of the Decatur Fertilizer Co. gave to his hearers a short resume of the fertilizer industry, which follows:

"It is a well known fact by everyone, that vegetation gets its nourishment from the soil and that by removing the vegetation, or crop, the soil becomes thinner from year to year, so if continued indefinitely will make production unprofitable, and it is for the replacement of this crop nourishment, or plant food as it is most commonly called, that commercial fertilizers are used. When lands are cleared for cultivation the trees are piled up and burned leaving a heap of ashes and it is easy to distinguish the benefit that the ash pile gives to vegetation. The increased yield of crops by the application of ashes and the limited supply made the farmers begin to wonder if they could get something that would have the same effect on the crops. They found that an accumulation of decayed vegetable matter had a good effect in producing yield, so the chemists came to their aid and found that there were three chemicals on which vegetation was entirely dependent. They found that nitrogen in the form of ammonia had a growing effect, that phosphoric acid strengthened the body and limbs of the plants preparing it for a better yield of fruit and that potash developed the fruit and hurried its maturity. It was found that Bat Guano possessed large quantities of plant food and the sale of this material was started before the civil war. By continued experiments the chemists found that other materials possessed plant food and that applying fertilizer, best results were obtained.

It is necessary that all plant food is in soluble form, that is soluble in water and the acids of the soil, so that the feeders of plants, which are little tubes can carry the food to all parts of the plants.

Commercial fertilizer was not known until after 1870 and the real beginning of the industry was the importation of Peruvian Guano and the discovery that phosphate rock and sulphuric acid properly mixed would make available phosphoric acid.

From time to time different materials have been found containing ammonia and at present the principal ones are nitrate of soda, sulphate of ammonia, fish scrap, cotton seed meal and packing house tankage. Before commercial fertilizer was made the most of these materials were considered worthless and thrown away.

Phosphoric acid is derived principally from phosphate rock, some from steam ground bone.

Potash is imported from Germany and France. There are some American potash fields but the foreign potash is most desirable.

In applying 200 pounds of complete commercial fertilizer to an acre of cotton the least result that could be expected would be the addition of one boll to each stalk. Ordinarily there are about four thousand stalks to an acre which would mean four thousand extra bolls, or at least 45 pounds of cotton. Forty five pounds of cotton at 20 cents amounts to \$9.00. The average cost of the fertilizer is \$2.50 per acre giving a net profit of six to seven dollars per acre. A greater application of fertilizer up to about 600 pounds or more ordinarily decrease that net profit.

Without the use of fertilizer the average yield per acre is 1-3 bale with the use of fertilizer the average yield is 2-3 bale.

The tonnage of fertilizer used in the U. S. in 1921 was more than five million tons of which Alabama used 147,000 tons. North and South Carolina are the largest users of any of the states each using nearly 700,000 tons in 1921.

The greatest amount of commercial fertilizer used in any one year was in 1920 which ran more than seven and one half millions tons.

Perhaps the following estimated list of added wealth to the south, due to direct and indirect effect of consistent fertilization would be of interest.

Increase in value of southern lands due to possible increased production, (increases frequently ranging from \$50 to \$500.00 per acre.)

Increase in production of farm products due to fertilization \$10,000,000,000.

Value of phosphate rock deposits, fishing industry packing house tankage, etc. which before the advent of fertilizer were thrown away \$3,000,000,000.

Profits received by the railroads from transportation of materials and finished products \$1,500,000,000.

Increased value of city real estate, pay rolls from fertilizer plants and stability of values \$500,000,000.

Total wealth possessed by the new south through direct and indirect results from the use of commercial fertilizer, which wealth was not enjoyed by the old south, \$25,000,000,000.

At each meeting it is hoped to have others give a survey of other lines. The meeting on Thursday was well attended when as usual good fellowship reigned supreme. A fine luncheon was enjoyed and the "lunch" returned to their places of activity with renewed energy.

TURKISH PRISONERS ARE WRITING POETRY

(By Associated Press.)

ANGORA, Asia Minor, July 28.—The capital of the Turkish Nationalist government, Angora, also the headquarters of Mustapha Kemal Pasha, the Nationalist leader, is ambitious to become a modern city and has embarked upon a program of extensive improvements.

The present park is to be enlarged and made into a public garden; a bou-

levard will be constructed from the Parliament House past the Prefecture and the Bolshevik embassy, and roads are to be repaired and kept spotlessly clean. A large fountain is to be erected in the square facing the parliament building. An interesting novelty is that all shop signs are to be of the same size.

In the Angora prison there are now 105 criminals. Notebooks and slates have been distributed among them so that they may learn to write nationalist poetry. The government is taking measures to establish tailoring, bootmaking and other workshops for the prisoners in the 400 gaols of Anatolia.

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